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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

HIROTA et al

Serial No.:

10/082,113

Filed:

February 26, 2002

For:

Liquid Display Element And Display Unit Using Thereof

Art Unit:

2871

Examiner:

D. Nguyen

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application and the accompanying RCE, in response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2006 and the Advisory Action dated January 5, 2007 in which the Examiner indicated the Amendment filed December 8, 2006 would be entered for purposes of appeal. However, since an appeal has not been taken and an RCE is being filed, it is assumed that the Amendment has not been entered and the Amendment of December 8, 2006 and further amendments are presented herein. The amendments are listed below and set forth on the following pages.

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.